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1. IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY'S ORAL NOTIFICATION AND FOLLOW-UP LETTER TO MAKSAREV, CHAIRMAN OF USSR COMMITTEE ON INVENTIONS AND DISCOVERIES (CID), CONCERNING USG'S CANDIDATE FOR WIPO DIRECTOR GENERAL, EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED A LETTER FROM MAKSAREV STATING THAT USSR WILL SUPPORT THE U.S. CANDIDATE, DR. ARPAD BOGSCH. MAKSAREV REPORTS THAT QUESTION OF SOVIET SUPPORT FOR BOGSCH WAS ALSO DISCUSSED DURING LATTER'S VISIT TO MOSCOW IN MARCH 1973.

2. MAKSAREV NOTES THAT ONE AGENDA ITEM FOR THE NOV 1973 MEETING IS QUESTION OF REORGANIZATION OF LEADERSHIP OF WIPTWN AND, IN PARTICULAR, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THIRD POST OF DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL. POSITION OF USSR IS THAT CREATION OF THIRD SUCH POST WOULD PERMIT THE "FAIR" ALLOCATION OF ONE POST EACH TO "CAPITALIST, SOCIALIST, AND DEVELOPING" NATIONS. MAKSAREV EXPRESSES HOPE THAT USG WILL SUPPORT THIS REORGANIZATION. AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED BY THE "SOCIALIST" COUNTRIES, ACCORDING

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TO MAKSAREV, THAT THEIR CANDIDATE FOR ONE OF DEPUTY

DIRECTOR GENERAL POSTS WILL BE I. YA. MOROZOV, A SOVIET
WHO WORKED AS COUNSELOR IN WIPO FROM 1966 TO 1972.
MOROZOV IS CURRENTLY CHIEF OF FOREIGN RELATIONS DEPT OF CID.

3. MAKSAREV REQUESTS INFORMATION ON USG POSITION
REGARDING MOROZOV CANDIDACY AND REORGANIZATION MENTIONED
ABOVE. PLEASE ADVISE.
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